WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY GENERALLY OBSERVED IN AND ABOUT THE CAPITAL

"MARSELLAISE" FOR FRENCH MINISTER

Enthusiasm Displayed by Sons of Revolution.

MEETING IN NEW WILLARD

Judge Knapp Delivers an Eloquent Address on Life and Virtues of George Washington.

birthday was celebrated this morning by the Sons of the Revolution of the District of Columbia with appropriate exercises in the banquet hall of the New

Among the distinguished guests were the French ambassador and Madame Jusserand. As they entered the hall the Marine Band, which was stationed in the balcony, played "The Marsellaise," and the audience arose in acknowledgment of the presence of the distinguish-ed guests. As the ambassador and his wife passed up the aisle to seats in front of the stage, which had been reserved for them, they bowed their appreciation for the greeting extended

In spite of the bad weather, the attendance was large, and when the exer-cises were begun the hall was comfortably filled. Among the guests were the pupils of the Mount Vernon Seminary, charge of the principal, Mrs. Som.

Francis Preston Blair Sands, the vice president of the organization. On the Randolph Harrison McKim, chaplain of the Sons of the Revolution of the Dis-Harding R. F. Johnson, Theodore A. the Sons of the Revolution of the District; Judge Martin Augustine Knapp, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the orator of the day; Col. John Tweedale, U. S. A., and William Stone Abert, chairman of the committee of arrangements.

of arrangements. Coled Tweedale read two sketches of the life of Washington, telling of him as a child, boy, youth, general, and President "The Sword of Bunker Hill" was surg by Samuel Cross, a popular local singer.

M. I. Weiler; Edmunds, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Edward, E. G. Davis, Dr. Franklin, T. Haves, Hiller, Hiller, T. Haves, Hiller, T. Haves, Hiller, Hiller,

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After thanking the Sons of the Revolution for the distinguished honor accorded him by selecting him to address them, Judge Knapp said he never before coveted the gift of oratory as he did today, in order that he might befittingly express his high regard of the person whose life and character he was to discuss.

the revolution, stands the majestic figure and imposing personality of Washington. Looking back over the lengthening years, we gaze again with loying reverence upon that screne and gracious presence, and contemplate with cious presence, and contemplate with deepest admiration that pure and lofty Addison, J. Barton Miller, W. C. Alexcharacter. Others were as brave, as ander; Corcoran, Miss Gore, Frank J. loyal, as earnest and as hopeful as he. Hogan; Curtis, Henry B. Looker, Hon. Adams was better skilled in public af-fairs; Jefferson was a greater states-er, Prof. Thomas W. Sidwell; Grant, the Adams was better skilled in public affairs; Jefferson was a greater statesman; Hamilton possessed a more brilliant intellect; Green was esteemed as good a general; Patrick Henry far surpassed him in eloquence; Lafayette was the beau ideal of a dashing soldier. But not all of them together possessed so many attractive and masterful qualities united in such liberal and complete proportions. There was in him a symmetry of development, an elevation and equipoise of character, a combination of mental and moral strength, a restrained but vitalizing energy, a dignity of manner and a benignity of aspect, which no other name in our history has ever equaled. Easily the foremost man of his time, conceded the first place by all his comperers, shaping the course of both military and civil affairs by his own personality, he stands as the model of public and private virtue, the highest type of American manhood.

In the absence of the Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, chaplain of the Senate, the invocation was said by the Rev. Dr. McKim, who also pronounced the benediction.

Robert S. Person; Fillmore, Miss Roeser, Prof. Thomas W. Sidwell; Grant, the Hon. John W. Douglass, the Rev. S. McReynolds, Rev. James H. W. Blake; Threfkeld, exercises conducted by teacher; Toner, Thomas R. Martin, Robert N. Haycock, the Rev. C. C. Coleman; Reservoir, exercises conducted by teacher.

Sixth Division.

Biair, Paul V. Keyser, Gov. John W. Holdsworth Gordon; Pierce, D. Percy Hickling, the Rev. W. S. Thomas; Taylor, V. Baldwin Johnson, Leon L. L. French; Webb. W. F. Carter, John B. Daish; Wheatley, to be selected, Anorew Wilson; Benning and Hamilton, exercises conducted by teacher.

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cises for the day in charge, and the occasion promises to be notable.

arious schools have been rehearsing songs and readings for presentation tosongs and readings for presentation tomorrow. All will be of a patriotic character, and in many schools "Washington's Farewell to the Army" will be the
chief feature of the program. Prominent speakers have signified their willingness to address the different classes, The anniversary of Washington's and everything will be done to properly commemorate the birth of the greatest Brookland, C. K. Finkle, Dr. Theodor man in the history of America.

Business, Robert L. Stone, the Hon, J. H. Brigham; Central, William V. Cox, the Hon. W. E. Andrews; Eastern, Gen. George H. Harries, the Hon. James T. George H. Harries, the Hon. James T. Dubois; Western, John Joy Edson, the Hon. Henry L. West; M Street, Dr. W. S. Montgomery, the Hon. Henry B. F. Mactsriand; McKinley Manual Training, Dr. A. P. Fardon, Brainard H. Warner; Armstrong Manual Training, Prof. L. B. Moore, the Hon. Archibald Grimke; Normal School No. 2, Richard R. Horner, the Rev. O. J. W. Scott.

First Division.

Adams, Henry W. Samson, the Rev. A. S. Fiske; Berret, Miss McGill, Mary Wood; Dennison, Dr. Arthur T. Ram-Mr. Sands Presides.

Owing to urgent business, which necessitated him being absent from Washington, Rear Admiral Henry Clay Taylor, U. S. N., president of the society, was not present. The duties of his office were, however, efficiently performed by Francis Preston Blair Sands, the vice

Abbott, Edwards Graves, Irwin B.

Fourth Division.

Amidon, John Doyle Carmody, G. W. Continuing, Judge Knapp said in part: F. Swartzell; Arthur, Miss Johnson, the "Throughout our national life, con-spicuous above all in the stern drama of Thomas P. Mergan, Emma M. Gillett;

Fifth Division.

Shoemaker: Bruce, the Rev. T. V. Tunele, the Rev. J. T. Morton; Chevy

riately celebrated tomorrow afternoon Ivy City, A. W. Gray, R. A. Hughes; by the public school children of Washington. No exercises are to be held to-day, as the day will be observed as a general holiday, and no sessions will be held.

Special preparations have been made, however, by Dr. A. P. Fardon, chairman of the Board of Trade committee, on public schools, which has had the exercises for the day in charge, and the

Eighth Division.

Buchanan, Basil B. Earnshaw, to be Children Are Ready. selected; Cranch, J. R. Bradley, Charles
For more than a month children of the F. Weller; Congress Heights, H. F. Lowe, to be supplied; Orr and Stanto exercises conducted by teachers; Var

Ninth Division.

Blake, W. S. Chase, William T. Pierson man in the history of America.

In the following programs, arranged by Dr. Fardon and his assistants, the first name is that of the programs o first name is that of the presiding officer and the second is the speaker of the day:

High Schools.

Esper, W. N. Weston; Emery, the Rev. Esper, W. N. Weston; Emery, the Rev. Gales, Weston Flint, Walter C. Clephane; Hayes, Samuel H. Walker, the Rev. R. R. West; Langdon, Miss Sisson, to be sympled. to be supplied.

Tenth Division.

Briggs, the Rev. Owen M. Waller, the Rev. O. L. Mitchell; Chain Bridge Road, services conducted by teacher; Garrison the Rev. Walter H. Brooks, the Rev Sterling M. Brown; Magruder, the Rev Matthew W. Blair, Dr. G. D. Williams; Montgomery, Willis A. Madden, Dr. Albert Ridgely; Phillips, the Rev. W. H. Gaines, Dr. C. B. Crusor; Stevens, Mrs. G. B. Francis, the Rev. Percy Kyles: Sumner, Mrs. May C. Terrell, the Hon. Judson W. Lyons; Wormley, Prof. W. H. Richards, Reuben S. Smith.

Eleventh Division.

Banneker, A. W. Scott, Dr. H. S. Smith Benning Road, exercises conducted by teacher; Burrville, exercises conducte by teacher; Cook, Dr. W. S. Lofton, J W. Ewing; Douglass, James F. Bundy Charles R. Douglass; Garnet, the Rev George W. Lee, the Hon. George H. White; Jones, Dr. C. A. Tignor, the Rev. W. J. Howard; Langston, Robert Pelham, Fountain Peyton; Logan, Thomas L. Jones, the Hon. John C. Dancy; Patterson, John B. Hyman, Jessie Lawson; Simmons, Eugene Brooks, the Rev. S. L. Corrothers; Slater, Willis T. Menard, the Hon. John P. Green,

Twelfth Division.

Ambush, W. L. Pollard, the Rev. D. F. Rivers; Bell, the Rev. P. A. Wallace W. H. Washington; Anthony Bowen, the Rev. D. E. Wiseman, the Rev. Alexander Garner; Giddings, Mrs. R. E. Lawson, Dr. George H. Richardson: Lincoln non G. Brown, A. S. Gray; Lovejoy, the Rev. F. I. A. Bennett, Rov. John H. Burke; Payne, the Rev. F. J. Grimke Dr. C. W. Childs; Randall, Mrs. Ida O. Balley, Dr. J. R. Wilder, Syphax, W. L. Houston, James M. Ricks.
The following is a partial list of the exercises to be held in the schools:

Woodburn School.

O Columbia, the Gem of the "Hurrah For the Flag"
Sclute to the flag...... Schoo Ten pupils Washington's Christmas Party

Takoma School.

"The Favor of the Declaration of Independence". James Taylo, "Union and Liberty". Lee Grabil "Soldier's Mourning Song"...... Schoo, "Paul Revere's Ride".... Donald Stewart "Attempt to Take General Washington". Walter Wakefleid "The Little Hatchet Story". Carl Judd "The Landing of the Pilgrims,"

Charles Fraser "The Union".

"Sketch of Washington's Life,"
Robertson Burdett
"Anecdotes of Franklin's Boyhood,"
Russel Van Houten
Play from "Little Women."
Mrs. March. Selina Fraser
Mr. Lawrence. Paul Watson
Mr. Laurie. Hugh Davis
Meg Lulu Longley
Jo. Helen Tiftany
Beth. Katie White
Ethel Clark Beth Ethel Clar
Amy Ethel Clar
Hannah Dorothy Wyse Exercises of Sixth and Seventh Grades:

Kipling's Recessional"—Dorothy Davis Franklin's Toast".....Adelaide Wilson 'Not George Washington," Edwin Dudley "Mount Vernon Tribute,"

Benjamin Morrison
"Washington"...... Albert Terflinger
"The Birthday of Washington,"
Raymond Ryon

Washington's Life.... Louise Morrison
Exercises of the second grade:

Washington's Birthday'... Mary Lerch
"Welcome, Bright Flag'... Naomi Clark
"America, So Proud'... Robert Barratt
"Like Washington'... Ashley Gould
"Lord of the Universe'... Margary Adams
"American Flag'... Gordon Galloway
"I'll Splendid... Iris Rogers
"My Country's Flag'... Ralph Petit
"A Song'... William Wallace
"George Washington'... Walter Whitney
"A Patriotic Boy'... Sidney Bursley
Exercises of first grade:
"The Name of Washington'... Scudder
"The Name of Washington'... Scudder
"The Flag'... Katherine Scudder
"The Name of Washington'... Scudder
"Uur Honored Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Like Washington'... Margaret Hartan
"Our Unlon's Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Unlon's Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Washington'... Margaret Hartan
"Our Unlon's Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Washington'... James Schrider
"Washington'... Margaret Hartan
"Our Unlon's Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Washington ... James Schrider
"My Country's Flag'... Florence Dentz
"Washington ... James Bright Wester
"The Better Way'....
Theodore Cox
Recitation—Washington Birthday Exercise. Cleo Smith and Mabel Henderson
Recitation—Washington ... Fred Harvey
Singing—Mount Vernon Bells.
Introduction of speaker.
Address—Capt A. S. Perham.
Singing—Yamerica."

Petworth School.

Wilson School

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Hymn—"Lead, Kindly Light"... School

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Becitation—"Washington"

Bertha Turner and Cecelia Hackett

Recitation—"George Washington"

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Bertha Martin, Sixth Grade.

Recitation—"For Liberty"

Helena Martin, Sixth Grade.

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The exercises include songs by the school, and recitations and solos from a number of the children. Those taking part are: Dorothy Partello, Lloyd Abbott, Egerton Buck, Arthur Jones, Doris Noetzel, Amelia Gude, Ralph Van Horn, Walter Florence, Robert Jones, Willie Magruder, Benjamin Carow, Willie Magruder, Benjamin Carow, Particia Turner, Carl Noetzel, and Earle Recitation... "Birthday of Washington George Seibold, Fourth Grade.

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Song, "Columbia". School Recitation, "Paul Revere's Ride" Eveline Dykes Biography of Washington
Seventh Grade pupils
Song, "Star-Spangled Banner". School
"Life of Washington" Sylvester Johnson
Recitation, "Washington at Trenton". Joseph Evans
Address. Lieut R. E. Toomey
Song, "America". School

Ivy City School.

Song-(Tune, "Yankee Doodle.")
Song-"America."

Chevy Chase School.

Remarks by the presiding officer, the Rev. Dr. T. S. Childs. WASHINGTON PRINTERS

Recitation, Wash Francis Van

"February Birthdays,"
Five girls, third and fourth grades
"My Own United States" School
Composition, "The Washington Monument as Typical of His Character"...... Virgil Barker
Recitation, "The American Flag,"
Ramona Crampton
School

Bruce School. Recitation, "Washington," Eugene Davidson
Acrostic, "Character of Washington,"
Pupils of second grade
Song, "The Star-Spangied Banner,"
School
Address......The Rev. John T. Morton
Maxims, "Washington". Pupils 1-8 grade
Song, "The Red, White, and Blue,"
School

CHILDREN TO HONOR MEMORY OF NATION'S FIRST PRESIDENT OLD INHABITANTS

Charles Donaldson, First Grade Hold Patriotic Exercises at Recitation and minuet—
Masters Bernard Robey, Archie Poore
Leon Poore, Paul Curran; Misse
Edna Finney, Mary Trigg, Addit
Dean, Helen Rorer. Carroll Institute.

ORATION OF SIMON WOLF

Pays Tribute to Deeds of Immortal Washington-Large Attendance at Exercises.

Dean, Helen Rorer.

Recitation...Arthur Poore, Second Grade Reading.....Leon Poore, Second Grade Recitation.Oliver Moreland, First Grade Hymn.—"[Pplift the Banner"......School Fiag salute....Sixth and Seventh Grades "Let us, then, twine each thread of this glorious tissue of our country's flag around our heartstrings, and, looking upon our homes and catching the spirit that breathes upon us from the battlefields of our fathers, let us resolve, come weal or woe, we will, in the and in death, now and forever, stand by the Stars and Stripes!"

Address—The Rev. G. C. Bratenahl. "Flag Song".......School Pierce School. Many members of the Oldest Inhabitants' Association of the District braved the inclement weather this morning and ong-"Crown Our Washington" .. School lic hall at 10 o'clock to selebrate with assembled in the Carroll Institute pub-Introduction of speaker by Dr. D. Percy speech and song and appropriate public exercises the birthday of George Washington. Public spirit and patriotic

Pierce School.

Large Turnout of Typos to Meeting, at

Which Officers of National Body

Are Indorsed.

Rogers is a representative of the

CHARLES W. STODDARD

of America, is seriously ill at his home in Boston.

BRICK LANDED ON HIS HEAD.

cago.

feeling ran high.

The crator of the occasion was the Hon. Simor Wolf, a member of the association, whose services were obtained after it had been learned that the Hon. John Goode, of Norfolk, Va., would be prevented by illness from ad-dressing the meeting.

Precedity the public exercises, a brief siness session was held, with 3. Thomas Brown, president of the association, presiding. Benjamin W. Reiss, the secretary, announced the recent death of John C. Parker, a member of the organization, and appropriate resolutions were passed by the

meeting. Mr. Wolf's Address. After the singing of "America" by the

whole audience, Mr. Wolf made the ora-tion of the day, prefacing his speech with regret at the absence of Mr. Goode whom he described as "the Virginian of The Columbia Typographical Union Virginians." of Washington failed yesterday to independent Lynch for re-election as helped to hold the first celebration of

head of the International Typographical this day in Cairo, Egypt, whee I was Union, and, by a large vote, threw its stationed as United States minister. support to Charles E. Hawkes, of Chi-Traveling up the Nile a little later, I found that the lesson of the tree and The meeting was one of the largest the hatchet was being taught the school ever held by the local typos, many of children as a reminder against lying. "When we celebrate this day we

hose present being compelled to sit in the gallery. At first it appeared as if commemorating not so much a man's the contest would be a hot one, there being oratory a plenty, but when the vote was polled the easy victory of the Hawkes supporters showed how strong us is that our flag is the greatest of all, typifying as it does toleration and processo man. cago man.

For vice president, John W. Hays, of Minneapolis, received the sanction of the local typos, while J. W. Bramwood, of Denver, was indorsed to succeed himself as secretary-treasurer. A number of candidates for other places on the ticket were passed upon. William Kennedy, of Chicago, was indorsed for agent of the Union Printers' Home, while George P. Nichols, of Baltimore: Thomas Crowley, of Cincinnati; H. H. Rogers, of Chicago, we're sanctioned for trustees of the Eame. Rogers is a representative of the

taining program was given as follows: C. Leo Steifel, tenor solo; Mrs. Carrie and Isabel Pechin, recitations,

allied crafts.

Two delegates to the American Federation of Labor-Frank Morrison, of Chicago, from the International Typographical Union, and P. H. Neurnberger-Fredved the Indorsement of the Eugene Hubbard. O. D. Summy, and J. T. Clements were elected to membership in the association during the business session. The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$22 in the treasury. Among those present were A. C. Winstone, James Johnson, W. G. Gullant, Nicholas Watkins, J. J. Garges, Harvey V. Colton, James Wineberger, F. G. Calvert, John McKenney, Conrad Robin, Joseph T. Howard, Timothy Noonan, George Colison, Allison Nailor, J. Edwin Klouse, Patrick Klein, George Martin, H. M. Dillinger, Bryson Tilley, Joseph Acton, William A. Clarke, John T. Sullivan, E. H. Bates, A. A. Ragan, W. F. Brown, Benjamin F. Sunmy, and B. F. Larcomb. J. T. Clements were elected to memberoca! typos.

The election will be held in May, and, eccording to the rules of the international body, a candidate for office must eccive the indorsement of ten unions before he can be considered. IS SERIOUSLY ILL Charles Warren Stoddard, the distinguished writer and former professor of

BARGES CUT DOWN BY ICE.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 22.-The tog Plymouth, of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, put in at this port last Struck on the head with a brick said of New Jersey, put in at this port last to have been thrown by Walter, alias Baldy White. Dewey Carter, twenty-six years old, 258 Dixon Court southwest was removed to the Emergency Hospital about 9:30 o'clock Saturday night and reported the loss of three barges off Gull Island today. The loss was due to the large quantity of floating ice in the sound, which cut the about 9:30 o'clock Saturday night and reported the loss of three barges off Gull Island today. The loss was clue to the large quantity of floating ice in the sound, which cut the larges down at the waters edge. So far as could be learned, no lives were lost.

A SOLID SORE.

Three years ago a common boil appeared on the calf of my limb. Not yielding to simple home remedies, I consulted

a physician, who prescribed a poultice, flax seed, supposedly. By some fearful mistake I was given corrosive sublimate, and after having it on for a few minutes I could endure the pain no longer, so took off the application and found that my limb from the calfto the arkie was in an awful condition. I im-

found that my limb from the calfto the ankle was in an awful condition. I immediately sent for another physician, who told me I had been poisoned. My limb from the calf to the ankle was one solid inflamed sore. I was advised to begin S. S. S., and improved rapidly under its use, but about this time I had an attack of typhoid fever, and this settled in the original sore. This, of course, caused a back-set, but having confidence

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as soon as I was over the fover, and to make a long story short, was completely and permanently cured. Two years have elapsed, and I have never had a return of the trouble.

MRS. K. A. DUFFY.

214 W. Washington St.

New Castle, Pa., July 29, 1903.

BAD BL **OLD SORES, ULCERS, ABSCESSES**

The best evidence of a bad condition of the blood and unhealthy state of the system, is an old festering sore, running ulcer, or abscess. They show the bodily impurities are not passing out through the proper channels, but are left in the system to clog and poison the blood. So thoroughly does the poison permeate the system that every little scratch, cut or bruise inflames and fes-FROM CALF OF THE LEG TO ANKLE

ters. Everything about an old sore or ulcer suggests disease. They affect the general health, they require constant attention, and are a source of anxiety and trouble all the time, and in some cases highly offensive. There is danger, too, of these places be-coming cancerous if not treated promptly and in the right way. Washes, salves and ointments are good for external use, but they can't stop the discharge or change the condition of the blood, and for this reason the sore never heals permanently.

Not until the blood is purged

of impurities and the system cleansed of all harmful substances should the ulcer heal, or the effect upon the system might prove disastrous. S. S. S. goes into the circulation and searches out and removes the cause of the

old sore and invigorates and builds up the polluted, sluggish blood again, and as the poisonous matter is driven from the system the sore begins to heal, new flesh forms and the place is soon covered over with fresh skin and the sore is gone for all time. Where the constitution is debilitated from the effects of chronic sores, ulcers, abscesses, carbuncles, boils

or other severe skin eruptions, S. S. S. will build it up again and stimulate and strengthen all parts of the system, S. S. S. contains no strong minerals, but is guaranteed entirely vegetable and unequaled as a Blood Purifier and tonic. Do not depend upon local reme-

dies alone. Get your blood right, and as it forces out the poison the sore must heal, because nothing is left in the system for it to feed upon. Write us should you desire medical advice, which is given without charge.

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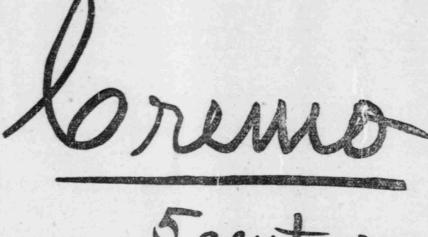
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